

**AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION:**

Please amend the paragraph in the Specification of Record situated at page 10, lines 10 to 20, as follows:

--In this connection, however, it should be mentioned that, within data network 4, the bandwidth required for information transmission is only slightly ~~higher~~ less than the user information sent by the terminal, as is indicated in the bottom part of Figure 2, as well. However, it should also be emphasized that, in this example, the voice connection path is not routed via data network 4, but is terminated at transition 3 and is newly generated, so that in none of the transmission-path sections used here is the voice connection path transmitted via a digital data network, something which is, however, needed for a method according to the present invention as described in the following, because an object of the present invention is to save on transmission bandwidth during transmission via a digital data network.--